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PETITION TO REVIVE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137

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Sir:

The subject patent application is believed to have gone abandoned pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 122(b)(2)(B)(iii) since 1) an application directed to the disclosed invention was filed on December 21, 2002 under a multilateral international agreement (i.e., the Patent Cooperation Treaty, or PCT), and 2) notice of the International filing and a

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request to rescind a previous non-publication request were not filed with the Office within forty-five (45) days of such International filing.

Enclosed herewith is a request to rescind a previous non-publication request under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b)(2)(B)(ii) with notice of the International filing. Entry of said request is respectfully solicited.

Applicants hereby petition to revive the application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137 as the delay in submitting the request and notice was unintentional. The entire delay in filing the required notice and request to rescind the previous non-publication request from the due date until the filing of this grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional. Therefore, revival of the subject application is earnestly solicited.

As should be appreciated from the foregoing, the delay in notifying the Office of the foreign filing and of the filing of the request rescission of the previous non-publication request was unintentional and revival of the subject application is earnestly solicited.

Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$1,300.00 in satisfaction of the fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(m).

Also submitted herewith is a Notice of Appeal (and appropriate fee therefore) and a Supplemental IDS in light of the International Search Report dated May 22, 2003.

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If there are any additional fees resulting from this communication, please charge same to our Deposit Account No. 18-0988, our Order No. G0518.

Respectfully submitted,

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